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DIGITAL FLAT PANEL X-RAY RECEPTOR POSITIONING IN DIAGNOSTIC RADIOLOGY

Title of Invention

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1. X Specification (total pages 51 including:
 - a. 3 pages of claims (3 claims)
 - b. 1 page(s) Abstract
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6. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

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